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Attorney Docket No. 020093-000120US

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the application of:

Gerald P. Murphy et al.

Application No.: 09/016,737

Filed: January 30, 1998

For: ISOLATION AND/OR  
PRESERVATION OF DENDRITIC  
CELLS FOR PROSTATE CANCER  
IMMUNOTHERAPY

Examiner: Y. Eyler

Art Unit: 1642

**PETITION TO EXTEND TIME**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks for an extension of time for response to the Office Action dated September 28, 1999, for three (3) months from December 28, 1999 to March 28, 2000. A response in the form of an Amendment is submitted herewith.

Please charge the filing fee of \$870 to Townsend and Townsend and Crew Deposit Account No. 20-1430. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to the above deposit account. This Notice is submitted in triplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: 28 March 2000

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